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## DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The Co-Partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of **LYTLE, ECKELS & RONEY** is this day dissolved by mutual consent, James A. Roney retiring from the firm.

The business will be continued by Lyle & Eckels, who will collect all bills and assume all liabilities of the late firm.

**JAMES A. RONEY,  
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Decatur, Ill., May 1, 1890.

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Stock Complete.  
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THURSDAY EVE, MAY 22, 1890.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce George W. Roney, of the Peoria Press, as a candidate for the office of Auditor of the Republic.

### LOCAL NEWS.

SUGARS AND CREAMS in sterling silver, new and pretty patterns.  
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.

ASK for Golden Rule Pig.

Your will and White Room floor A1.

AMATEUR performance to-night at the Grand opera house.

Dollar excursion to Terre Haute next Sunday. Train leaves at 7 a. m.

Call at J. Lytle & Co's grocery store for fresh butter, eggs and berries.

Possibly Decatur will have the Andrews Opera Company, one or two nights at the Grand in the near future.

To-day J. E. Holiday has taken possession of his new residence property on North Water street.

This usual large number of applicants for examination were before the Pension Board yesterday.

H. W. Hill has bought property in the Starr & Mills addition, and will put up several dwellings.

The adjourned session of the city council will be held to-morrow night. This will be the fifth meeting for the month of May.

The best of California and native fruits at Hanks & Patterson's grocery store.

A woman in Alton has secured a divorce because her husband spoke of her his out as like unto oblation.

In Justice Hammer's court yesterday Frankie Brown paid over \$3 as a fine for disorderly conduct.

A good upright piano for rent at C. B. Prescott's music store.

It is getting to be "the thing" in Decatur for ladies to have English pug dogs trot before them, the lady holding a tinsel cord to keep the canine in check.

All leading grocers sell the popular White Loaf and Daily Bread loaves.

Peter Lorenz will have the most perfectly conducted marion in the city. It will be heated by the hot water radiating system, something entirely new in Decatur and very expensive.

Snowflake bread is delicious. It is made at the Steam Bakery.

Last evening a colony of 125 mice, found in four barrels at the rear of J. G. Cloyd's grocery store, met death. The killing was witnessed by a crowd of spectators.

E. G. Allen has one of those Austin leverable hand graders at his store on Wood street. He sold one at Chestnut this week.

Two weeks from to-morrow the commencement exercises of the Decatur High School will be held at the Grand opera house.

The Chinese relieve pain by pulling their noses; the pain of burns, scalds, bites, cuts, poisons, insect bites, felonies, frost bites, chilblains, chafes and chaps is allayed by Ole's Carbolic Soap, which rapidly and permanently heals.

Is there a figure on Haines, Everett and Sterling pianos can be had at C. B. Prescott's music store. Call and see the display of stylish instruments.

See Ben Chamberlain at his complete gallery, and he will make you perfect photographs.

While lowering the swing at the Decatur National Bank this morning Harry Ford was astonished to notice that the birds had made nests in the swing. Several birds fell to the pavement.

We make over old gold watch chains, rings and all kinds of gold jewelry as well as solid silver spoon work. Otto E. Curtis & Bro., manufacturing jewelers.

The Y. W. C. T. U. will hold their regular meeting in the W. O. T. U. rooms to-night. After the business session a short program will be given, followed by a social. Rev. W. R. Miller will give a short talk. Everybody welcome.

Mr. LUKENS offers his property at the corner of College and Eldorado streets at a very reasonable price if sold within a few days. m19-46\*

WESTERN farm mortgagees are occupying the attention of legislators and money lenders. Wall street has been greatly benefited by the demand for money in the west. At the same time, there is a great deal of illegitimate lending done and financiers predict the failure of several companies which have rushed wildly into this sort of investment.

PREPARED for graduating students and birthday gifts, in a large variety of forms can be found at West's Corner Book store.

LADIES' Bicycle and Lawn Tennis Suits just received at Linn & Scruggs. d1w

JACOB BRAM, expert wall paper cleaner. Wall paper cleaned and made as good as new. Sample work free. Leave orders at Linn's restaurant, South Main St. m21-46\*

FOUNDED at LAWYER-The cause and cure of Rheumatism and Neuralgia. For information, inquire of THE CROCODIAN Co., 153 South Main street. may14-46\*

THE ladies of the Baptist church will give an entertainment and Russian Tea in the Chapel of the church on Thursday evening, May 22. Admission ten cents, which will include a cup of tea at the Russian booth; other refreshments will be served. 21-42

The Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keok & Weigand, are the best in town. m25-46\*

WE GRIND Special Lenses and all kinds of different spectacle work. Otto E. Curtis & Bro., mfg jewelers.

ALL of the pictures made in Piper's photograph gallery during the last four years can be duplicated only at that gallery. m16-46\*

### Two Nights of Music in Sight.

Manager Haines has an opportunity to secure the Andrews Opera company for two nights next week. The company, which numbers 50 people, including their own orchestra, fine costumes and properties, is averse to coming here without an expression from the opera going people and a canvass will be made. The repertoire includes "Erminie," "Bohemian Girl," and others, and in the company are Laura Bellini, Jay Taylor and forty others. A subscription list will be circulated, and if sufficient encouragement is offered we will have two nights of good opera. Laura Bellini was lately prima donna of the Duff Opera Company.

### "Lady Fortune" To-Night.

This evening the Decatur Dramatic Club will give its last dramatic performance of the season at the Grand, to close with a dance on the stage. The play will be "Lady Fortune" with Will Ennis, Henry Prather, F. M. Curtis, Miss Koehler, Miss Burrows and Miss Belle Burrows in the cast.

### Building Notes.

In a few days the excavation for the Woman's Club building at the corner of North Franklin and Park streets will be finished and then brick laying will commence.

Michael Tronheim is the active member of the Decatur committee in looking after the erection of the Decatur Shoe Factory in the fifth ward to be conducted by Heaver & Giddens.

The new addition to Grand Opera House block is nearly ready for the roof. A \$250 improvement is in progress on the Fred Wedde lot at the rear of Ed Haines' barber shop on East Eldorado street. Mr. Haines must have more room for his increasing business.

In all parts of the city new dwellings are going up.

### After the Central Road.

In the circuit court last evening Attorney Charles C. Leforge began an action in assumpsit for H. S. Clark & Co., proprietors of the Decatur Linsed Oil Works, against the Illinois Central Railroad Company, for non-compliance of contract in certain matters that will be set forth at the trial at the approaching June term of court. The claim is for \$1000.

### Will Not Go to Egypt.

This morning George W. Bright received a letter from Hon. F. O. Smith, now in Europe with his family. The letter is dated Buda-Pesth, Hungary, a city on the Danube. He writes that the contemplated trip to Egypt has been given up because of the intense heat. It is dangerous for tourists to venture into Egypt at this season of the year.

### \$100 To Terre Haute.

Next Sunday the Terre Haute & Peoria company will run a dollar excursion train from Decatur to Terre Haute. The Terre Haute & Peoria Inter-State club will play a ball game there Sunday afternoon, and there will be an exhibition 2500 race horses on the track. Train leaves Decatur at 7 a. m. and returning will leave Terre Haute at 6 p. m.

The new brick works of the Decatur Tile Company, just west of the fair grounds or "new public park," are in course of construction. They will have a capacity of 25,000 daily, making a total of 45,000 daily for the works. The company now has 2,000,000 brick in stock, and will soon have an additional 2,000,000 to supply the contractors. The new building will be 50x100 feet in size, and the engines and boilers will be of the most approved pattern. The best of kilns and dryers will be built and the most superior paving and building brick will be constructed. The Citizens' company has sold the brick company 4,000 feet of old street car rails to be used in building tracks at the new works.

The road case at Harrisonville yesterday was tried by jury before "Squire Bradshaw." It was an action to open a new country road through land owned by Scroggins, Cooper, Gouge, Bear, Lintcum, the Conover heirs, Captain Hamilton, Mr. Elder, Mr. Brown, the Davis heirs, Mr. McGuire, Mr. Eymann, J. G. Willard and the Talbott heirs. The damages were fixed at \$570 and costs. The commissioners will meet in ten days to determine whether the road will be opened. It will be a mile and a quarter long.

This forenoon Thomas Brattin, of Niantic, and Miss Alice E. Havenar, of Hopkins, were granted a marriage license by County Clerk Hardy, and later the couple were married. There was a delay of a day in issuing the license because Tom is only 20 years of age. He had to go to Belmont last night to get the consent of his father, and the young lady remained at a Decatur hotel till he could get back.

The important work to be transacted at the International Sunday school convention at Pittsburgh in June next will be, first, the improvement of the work done under the direction of the International Sunday school executive committee; second, the question of a uniform course of normal lessons; third, the election of a new lesson committee.

The mortal remains of Mrs. Susan O. Shriver, wife of John A. Shriver, who died Feb. 17th, aged 43 years, 6 months and 8 days, were taken from the vault in Greenwood this afternoon and placed in the grave. Rev. T. W. Pinkerton conducted the final ceremonies.

GOLDSMITH MARY trotted 322 heats in better than 2:30. Barnes 185, Driver 167, Harry Wilkes 150, Dick Wright 151, American Girl 150, Hopfield 139.

JOHN S. COOK, a former well-known railroad official of the Peoria, Lincoln & Decatur, also of the Peoria, Pekin & Jacksonville railroads, died yesterday at the insane asylum at Jacksonville.

It is possible that the Decatur miners will resume work in a few days. Quite a number of the men are said to be tired of idleness.

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Quincy troubled me for twenty years. Since I started using Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil, have not had an attack. The Oil cures sore throat at once. Mrs. Letta Conrad, Standish, Mich., Oct. 24, '88.

FANS! A large assortment, suitable for Opera and ordinary use, at Linn & Scruggs. d1w

GREAT BARGAINS in Chenille and Lace Curtains at Linn & Scruggs. d1w

WALL PAPER and Window Shades in large assortments at Blank & Grass. 17-42w

### Carried Her to Jail.

Yesterday Nancy E. Smith, an alleged clairvoyant who has been occupying the H. E. Foster property on Mason street, caused considerable trouble to Constable Dillehunt, Officer Broadway and Constable Bailey. Mr. Foster wanted to get the woman out of the house, but she refused to vacate. She had threatened to kill Dillehunt if he showed his phiz at home, but he went just the same, accompanied by Broadway. Nancy had her gun, and drew it, but Broadway took it from her. Then the officers took Nancy to Squire Curtis, where bail for her appearance for assault to do bodily injury was fixed at \$500. She could not give bail, and she was started for the county jail. This disposition of her person did not please her, and she dropped down on the pavement and could not be coaxed or forced into walking. Officer Miller hurried about for a wheelbarrow, and while he was gone Bailey and Broadway put Nancy in a chair and carried her to the jail.

### Scared Workers.

The grand jury is in session at Lincoln. A telegram from that city states that at the last city election rumors of retelling were freely set afloat. Yesterday the grand jury summoned all the leading Republicans and Democratic leaders and put them through a thorough examination. There is considerable excitement, and several persons have left town.

### Inspection.

Col. George B. Stadden, of Springfield, will arrive in the city this evening, and to night he will inspect Col. I. C. Pugh Camp, No. 11, Sons of Veterans, at Grand Army Post Hall. There will be a large turn out of the membership.

### ASSAULTED BY STRIKERS.

A Riot Narrowly Avoided at Pana Last Evening.

About two hundred and fifty striking miners congregated about Penwell's shaft at Pana at 5:30 o'clock last evening. As the non-union men left the cages several of them were set upon by the strikers and one man beaten. Messrs. Penwell and Schlierbach, owners of the mine, were summoned, and on arriving in a buggy were stoned by some of the strikers. The situation was critical for some moments, as some of the special officers and drawn their weapons and only refrained from firing at the solicitation of the mine owners. The first regular coal train since the beginning of the strike was taken out yesterday, and this probably had the effect of exasperating the strikers.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Dick Malloy will leave for Kansas City to-night.

Charles M. Fletcher, of Mt. Zion, was in the city to-day.

Miss Ruth Ewing, of Chicago, is in the city, the guest of Mrs. C. A. Ewing.

Constable Samuel Weisell is at Sullivan to-day on official business.

Miss Nellie Devine departed to-day for Chicago to be absent three weeks.

Miss Grace Corns is in the city to see "Lady Fortune" to-night at the Grand.

J. G. Willard, who owns 720 acres of land near Harrisonville, was in the city to-day.

Joshua Hubbard found time yesterday to visit the city. He owns a fine farm in Austin township.

Thomas Kerr, of Springfield, is visiting in the city. He is a type-setter on the State Journal.

Fred Kuny is in Chicago, to meet his wife and son, Ed, who have been making a tour of Europe.

Mrs. John F. Liver, of Kansas City, Mo., formerly Lizzie Malloy, will visit Mrs. Charles Lutz this week.

Mrs. W. H. Long, of Marion, and A. Wacasser and wife, of Hammond, were at the Hotel Brunswick to-day.

Captain C. H. Fuller has our thanks for a late copy of a Guthrie, Oklahoma, daily paper. Life is lived at Guthrie.

Mr. and Mrs. William Towling are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. O. H. Keanan, and son Ralph, of Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Andrews, of Worthington, Ind., are in the city visiting their daughter, Mrs. D. A. Barrackman, on Prairie avenue.

Will N. Andrews, a Decatur printer, who is something of an elocutionist, is on his way to Pueblo, Colo. He left for the west to-day.

Miss Abbie Pratt has returned from Oak Park, Ill. She has been absent six weeks with the family of I. J. Davis, who are on heading at present.

Miss Jennie Bunker has been visiting Mrs. Howard Whitmer for nearly a month. She left last night for Jacksonville, where she will be the guest of relatives and friends.

President M. D. Hornbeck, of Chadock College, Quincy, was the guest of Attorney and Mrs. D. C. Corley last evening. The cultured gentleman was on his way home from Lafayette, Ind.

Miss Mabel Alexander has gone to Franklin, Ind., to attend the wedding of Miss Grace Briggs, who is well known to many of our young people, she having visited here very frequently.

Lucifer Martin came in from Lincoln last night. He says Lincoln is a queer place. It is impossible to get a square meal at any hotel until 5:30 in the morning and frequently traveling men have to leave the town hungry if they go on early trains.

Rev. James Miller, who has been confined to his home by serious illness for several weeks, was able to be out to-day. He took an airing in a buggy and was warmly greeted by his many friends. He looks much better.

W. H. Starr, accompanied by his son, Baldwin, departed for Peoria this afternoon to-day. He goes to Spokane Falls, Seattle, Tacoma, Independence and Portland, Oregon, and will also visit Salt Lake City. At Independence he will see Marion Hume, former foreman of the Star establishment, and at Portland he will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown. He will be gone 35 days.

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ABSOLUTELY the last chance to get a \$2.50 shoe for \$1.45. We never have before and never will again sell as good a shoe for the money. This is a lady's hand-made kid down shoe.

m20-41w POWERS' SHOE STORE.

The entering wedge of a complaint that may prove fatal is a slight cold, which a dose or two of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral might have cured at the commencement. It would be well, therefore, to keep this remedy within reach at all times.

WE MAKE a great many "Birthdays" tea spoons in solid silver. Otto E. Curtis & Bro., manufacturing jewelers.

### OUT THIRTY HOURS.

W. P. Corbin is Found Guilty of Manslaughter.

After deliberating for 30 hours the jury in the case of The People vs. William P. Corbin, tried the second time at Sullivan for the murder of Charles T. Harris, Sept. 23, 1887, brought in a verdict of guilty of manslaughter at 12 o'clock last night and fixed the punishment at one year in the penitentiary. At the first trial Corbin was convicted of murder and got a long sentence at Chester. The supreme court granted him a new trial and Judge Vail heard it with the result above stated. The Sullivan tragedy grew out of a claim for rent. Corbin was a hardware merchant and Harris a druggist. Bad feeling existed. The two men met on the square and pistol shots were exchanged, Harris being struck in the head and left breast. Corbin has been at Chester three years. He is past 35 years of age. The second trial of the case has excited deep interest and the verdict is virtually an acquittal.

### Births.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Roether, 1034 North Main street, May 21, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McNulta, 814 North Calhoun street, May 20, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leighton, May 21, a daughter.

### Sales of Real Estate.

John D. Barnhart to William H. Guard, deed to lot 5, Warren & Co's 6th addition, \$300.

Edward W. Wood to William J. Logan, deed to the south half of lot 7, block 4, Read & Co's addition, \$1100.

William H. Starr and I. R. Mills to Hugh W. Hill, deed to all of block 5, in Starr & Mills' lot addition, \$3200.

I. R. Mills, executor of the last will and testament of Mattie A. Mills, and Mary Mahannah, widow of Stephen Mahannah, to Hugh W. Hill, deed to lots 1 and 2, block 5, Starr & Mills' addition, \$5500.

Minor Brook to Annaliza Simpson, lot 5, block 32, Carver's addition to Decatur, \$300.

Chesterworth Lafayette to Jerome W. Cox, lot 15, block 1, Crowder & Gorthwaite's addition to Decatur, \$225.

S. D. Schofield to Mary Parker, lots 12, 13 and 14, block 21, Railroad addition to Mason, \$350.

E. W. Ward to E. B. Dimock, west 1/2 of lot 7, and the east 1/2 of lot 6, block 4, Read & Co's addition to Decatur, \$2700.

Helen W. W. Martin to Oscar W. Dawson, lot 7, block 4, J. K. Warren's 9th addition to Decatur, \$400.

May Bros & Traver to Mrs. Elizabeth Nichols, of Blue Mound, an acre of ground just north of the P. D. & E. railroad. It is the intention of the Nichols family to erect a residence there and remove to this city. The price paid was \$500.

The prevalence of scrofulous taint in the blood is much more universal than many are aware. Indeed, but few persons are free from it. Fortunately, however, we have in Ayer's Sarsaparilla the most potent remedy ever discovered for this terrible affliction.

### THE NATIONAL GAME.

Yesterday's Record in the Base-Ball Arena.

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Batteries-Kee



